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COUNTRY Soviet Zone of Germany

REPORT NO.

TOPIC Brandenburg-Briest Airfield

EVALUATION ☐ 25X1

PLACE OBTAINED

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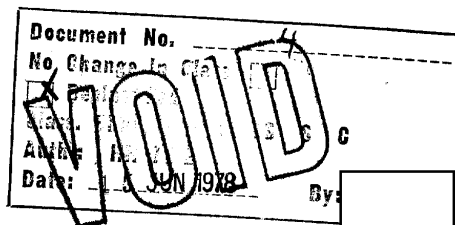
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1. The Brandenburg-Briest (N 53/Z 13) airfield was observed from the ☐ on 3 August 1950. It was occupied by one twin-engine, low-wing monoplane of the DC-3 type, and 18 jet fighters with swept-back wings. The jet planes were parked on the landing field in two rows. Four of the jet planes were painted a dark color, the others a bright color. \*
2. Three jet planes took off at 12:50 p.m. and two jet planes at 1:14 p.m. The planes climbed to an altitude of from 3,000 to 4,000 meters and then headed east. They did not return to the field prior to 4 p.m. Nine jet planes landed at 1:05 p.m. and two jet planes at 1:10 p.m. All of the planes were painted a bright color.
3. A radio station in the southeastern section of the landing field consisted of four or six closed trucks and a mast which was about 18 meters high and braced on all sides. Six wires, one close to the other, ran from the masthead to the ground. \*\*

\* ☐ Comment. The report confirms the occupation of the field by type 14 jet planes. There are no indications that the occupation by one fighter regiment has changed.

\*\* ☐ Comment. The radio station was previously reported ☐ 25X1

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